Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Some complaints were made not by the Doctor or anybody but by the public. Some public leader made a complaint questioning the veracity etc., and the Government have taken all possible care to see that even disinterested persons have been deputed at high level and the entire investigation has been examined at every stage and the Government are satisfied that investigation has been done on very correct lines and sound lines.

Sri K. P. KARUMBAYYA —Will a copy of the *post mortem* of the dead body was made by the Doctor for the first time, be laid on the Table of the House ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—I have to examine the propriety or otherwise of laying it on the table.

Sri K. P. KARUMBAYYA.—Is it a fact that the Doctor who visited the spot and saw the dead body for the first time remarked that it looked that the life had been extinct only within 24 hours ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—If there is any remark which he wanted to make, he will have put on record. We will examine the propriety or otherwise of laying it on the Table.

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## WORK LOAD AND WORK PROGRAMME OF THE P. W. D. SUB-DIVISION, HOLALKERE.

*Q.—336. Sri G. SIVAPPA (Chitradurga).—

Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) what is the work load and work programme of the P. W. D. Sub-Division, Holalkere and the area ;

(*b*) whether it is not a fact that the Assistant Engineer, P.W.D. Sub-Division, Holalkere, is looking after the two taluks being the biggest P.W.D. Sub-Division in the District ;

(*c*) what is the work load and work programme of each taluk ;

(*d*) whether there are no representations in this matter by the people of the Taluk to sanction a separate P.W.D. Sub-Division for Holalkere Taluk ?

*A.*—Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR (Deputy Minister for Public Works).—

(*a*) Work load is 11.58 lakhs, *vide* Statement 'A'. Work programme is given in Statements 'B' and 'C'. Area 933 Sq. miles. (Statement A, 'B' and 'C' are placed on the Table of the House).

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*)

| | *Holalkere Taluk* | *Hosadurga Taluk* |
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| Work load. | Rs. 5.46 lakhs. | Rs. 6.12 lakhs. |

Work Programme. *vide* Statements "B" and "C" placed on the Table of the House.

(*d*) Some representations have been received.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—In view of answer to (b), may I know the action taken by the Government?

† Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—The work-load is of the order of about Rs. 11 lakhs for the year 1960-61. The Government will sympathetically consider the proposal to have a sub-division separately for Holalkere.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—Is it not a fact that the Ex-Minister for Public Works has given me an assurance that another sub-division for this area will be opened in the month of April?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—It is true that promise has been held out that sub-division would be started provided there is adequate work-load and if the record disclosed adequate work-load that promise will be fulfilled.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—The work-load is about Rs. 11½ lakhs and according to rules of Public Works Department for a work-load of Rs. 5 lakhs they open a sub-division. Is not the present work-load sufficient to open another sub-division ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Hon'ble Member may draw his own inference.

Sri B. S. SHANKARAPPA.—Last year the Government have sanctioned 16 sub-divisions. May I know the work-loads of those sub-divisions?

Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—Last year we had to consider the work-load of 1959–60 and take a decision. Now the work-load has increased. We will consider and we will create some more sub-divisions at the State level when we consider these things.

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## IRRIGATION WORKS PENDING EXECUTION IN HOLALKERE TALUK.

*Q.—339. Sri G. SIVAPPA (Chitradurga).—

Will the Government be pleased to state.—

the number of irrigation works that are pending execution and the various stages of their work in Holalkere Taluk?